

Centennial Papers

[Kline, John W., compiler]

(1877-1879)

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

The Exhibition in the Main Building to be Continued.—The following notice in reference to the continuance of the exhibition in the Main Centennial Building has been issued:

International Exhibition, Main Building, Centennial Grounds, Philadelphia.—An organization is being perfected by which facilities will be afforded to exhibitors, both foreign and American, to continue their goods on exhibition in the Main Exhibition Building, Centennial Grounds, after the Centennial Exhibition closes. Also for others who have not heretofore exhibited to mingle with them.

Precautions will be taken for the safe preservation of any objects left to be exhibited under the auspices of the organization.

Preference will be given to the present exhibitors in the Centennial Exhibition who apply for space before November 5.

The exhibits will be received, continued on exhibition and eventually removed, subject to the rules and regulations given on the application for space.

Pending the necessary preliminary steps now being taken to organize the permanent management and the necessity of immediate action in view of the approaching close of the Centennial Exhibition the following gentlemen, officers of the United States Centennial Commission, have consented to receive applications for space:

Henry Pettit, Chief of Bureau of Inspection, Main Building.

John S. Albert, Chief of Bureau of Machinery, Machinery Hall.

Burnel Landreth, Chief of Bureau of Agriculture, Agricultural Hall.

Charles H. Miller, Chief of Bureau of Horticulture, Horticultural Hall.

From whom blank applications for space may be obtained.

The following is a sketch of proposed regulations:

International Exhibition, Main Building, Centennial Grounds, Philadelphia.

The Exhibition to be held in the Main Exhibition Building, Fairmount Park, which it is proposed to purchase expressly for that purpose.

The general reception of exhibits will commence as soon as the Centennial Exhibition closes.

Exhibits will be received belonging to any of the following classes: Mining, Manufactures, Education and Science, Art, Machinery, Agriculture and Horticulture.

When circumstances will admit, special arrangements will be made for the exhibition of machinery in motion.

Exhibitors of Machinery, Apparatus and Tools especially adapted for use of the Exhibition, offered free of cost, and accepted by the management, will be granted special privileges. The management will defray the necessary expenses of exhibitors lending their machinery, tools, &c., for use, beyond that which they have incurred as exhibitors, wear and tear excepted.

Exhibitors will not be charged for space; but the receiving, unpacking, and rearrangement of the exhibits must be done by and at the expense of the exhibitor.

The transportation, receiving, unpacking, and arranging of new exhibits must be none at the expense of the exhibitor.

Exhibitors accepting space must guarantee to occupy it in a creditable and satisfactory manner, in accordance with the rules and regulations of the management, for a period of not less than one year from the date of their permit, unless special arrangement to the contrary is made in writing with the Chief of Bureau.

In every case exhibitors will be required to give at least three months' notice of their intention to withdraw from the Exhibition.

The management reserves the right to make such rearrangement of space, from time to time, as may be found expedient, and for the general good of the Exhibition.

Exhibitors will have the privilege of renewing their exhibits from time to time, subject to the approval of the Chief of Bureau.

Exhibitors may employ attendants or watchmen of their own choice, to take care of their spaces and exhibits. Appointments of such attendants and watchmen will be subject to the approval of the management.

Exhibitors not desiring to employ attendants or watchmen, may leave their exhibits in the care of the management, who will then assume the responsibility of their cleanliness.

Exhibitors' business cards, circulars and samples may be placed within their spaces for distribution, but visitors shall not be solicited to receive them.

Cards may be affixed to goods, stating exhibitor's name, address, place of manufacture, price, etc.

Signs will not be allowed to project beyond the floor area of the space allotted, nor will signs of canvas, muslin, linen or paper be permitted. The size and style of all signs to be subject to approval.

Exhibitors must provide, at their own cost, all show-cases, shelving, counters, platforms, partitions, fittings and appurtenances which are required.

All arrangements of exhibits and decorations, and the installation generally, will be subject to the approval of the Chief of Bureau.

Sketches, drawings, photographs, or other reproductions of articles exhibited, will only be allowed upon joint assent of the exhibitor and the Chief of Bureau; but views of portions of the building may be made with the written permission of the Chief of Bureau.

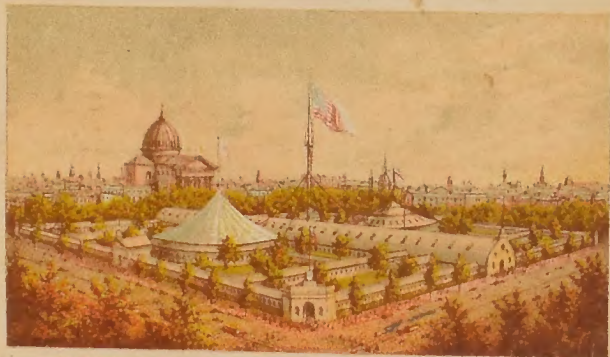
The management will take precautions for the safe preservation of all objects in the Exhibition; but it will in no way be responsible for damage or loss of any kind, or for accidents by fire or otherwise, however originating.

Articles that are in any way dangerous or offensive will not be admitted; and if introduced under false pretences, will occasion the immediate forfeiture of the exhibitor's space.

Each person who becomes an exhibitor thereby acknowledges and undertakes to keep the rules and regulations established for the government of the Exhibition.

The management reserves the right to explain or amend these regulations whenever it may be deemed necessary for the interests of the Exhibition.

The Hastings Suicide Case.—On Saturday morning, Coroner Goddard held an inquest



GREAT CENTRAL FAIR BUILDINGS, PHILADELPHIA.



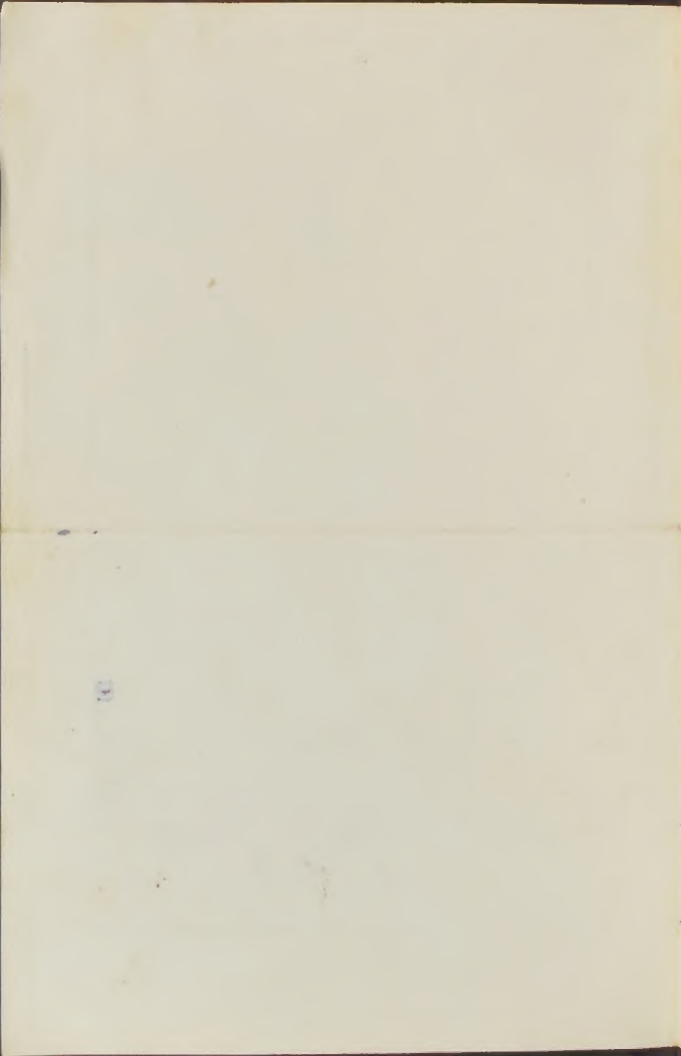
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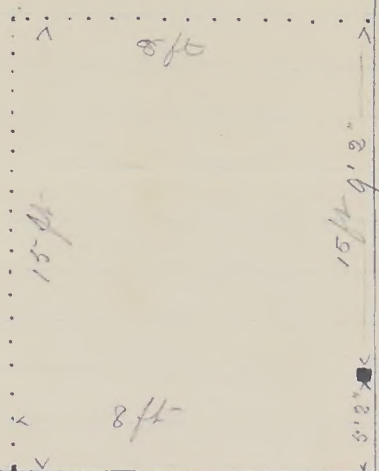
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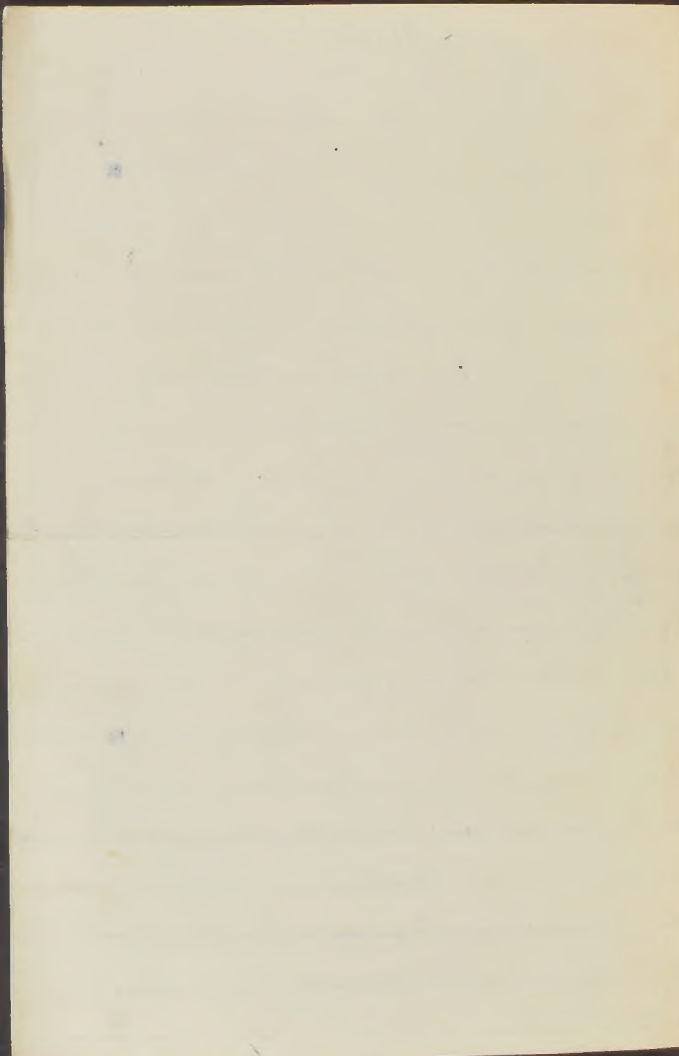
Fruit Dryer.



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United States
International Exhibition
PHILADELPHIA

Opening May 10th Closing Nov. 10th
1876

COMPLIMENTARY

M. L. Stearns
Governor of Florida

A. B. Goshorn

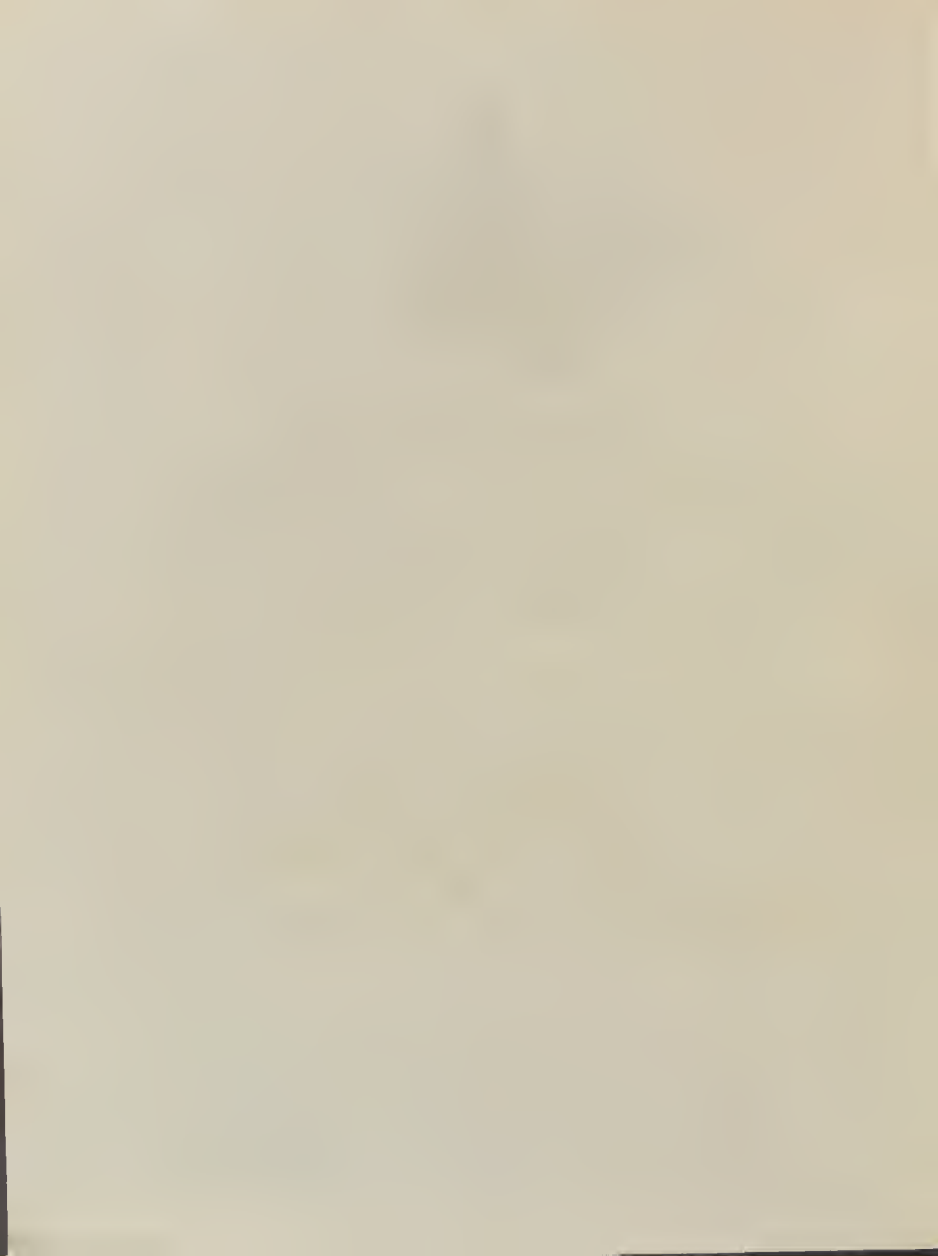
Director General

Wm. Welsh

Pres. Board of Finance

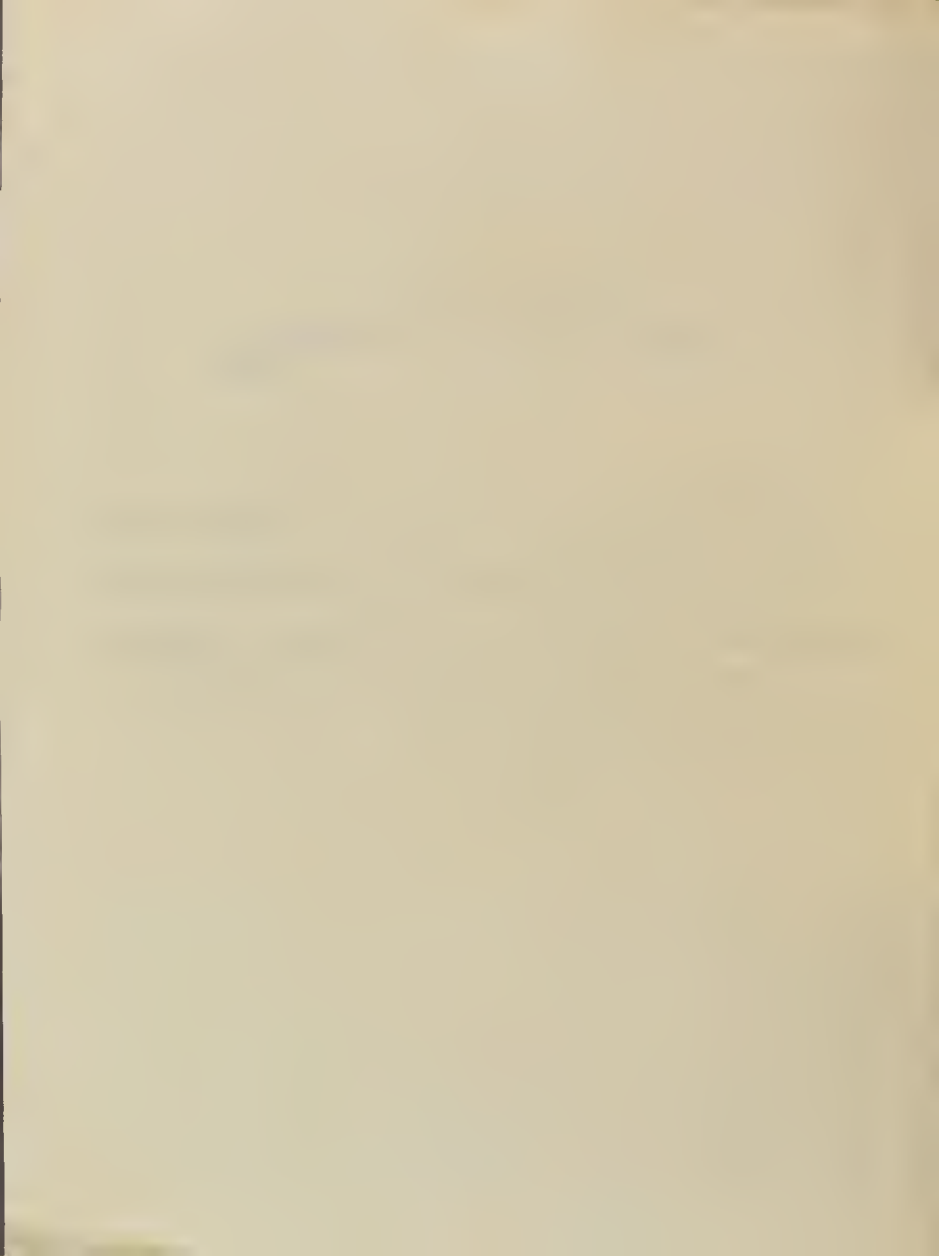
Jos. R. Hawley

Pres. U. S. Gen. Comptrol.



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*This Certificate valid if not accompanied
with the Envelope, and must be shown when
requested. The holder will please deposit
his Personal Card with Gate Keeper
as a basis of statistics.*



J. M. K. WICKERSHAM.

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WICKERSHAM & BRO.,

Manufacturers of Ornamental and Plain

IRON FENCES,

ALSO

AMERICAN OIL FEEDER,

Glass and Metal Oil Cups,

Nos. 406 & 408 North Tenth Street,
PHILADELPHIA.

GALVANIZED PIPE, CEMETERY FITTINGS, AND BRASS WORK.

COMPLIMENTS OF
WICKERSHAM & BRO



LENGTH 365 FT

MEMORIAL HALL

WIDTH 210 FT

ORNAMENTAL IRON

1103 Ridge Avenue,

AND BRASS WORKS,
INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.

Springfield.

J. Merrett Alden Box 169
E. L. Johnson.
Maj C. P. Nichols.
W. C. Stone Box 1028.
W. A. Webster " 1430

Middleton

John Bliss 20 Center St
A. Mil drum
W. B. Gump Box 958
Unionville. Conn

Hartford.

C. E. Andrews. E Hartford
A. L. Butler P.O. Box 156
Henry Bryant. N. E. Granite Works.
Chas L. Lincoln Phoenix Granite Works.
H. P. Stearnes Ind Retreat for Incense
J. C. Wells 32

J. S. Pickering 41 Milk St.
C. Adice 16 Central Sq. or 257 Broadway
Walter Woodward 9 Kirkland Place
Greenleaf Street. Rooming Sq.

Boston

Amie Brown 303 Shawmut Ave
T. J. Coolidge 93 Beacon St.
Dr Thos Hall Jr 1452 Washington St
Thos Hall 46 N. Newton St.
W. F. Hollis Room 1. Franklin St (1030)
L. B. Pomeroy
Mrs S. Appleton - Collingwood
Allison
235
24 Exchange Place

New Providence Record.
 W. S. Bell. 73 Fourth St.
 Geo. L. Bradford. 268 North Bedford.
 Wm. P. Hopkins 47 Bernon St.
 L. T. Seagrave.
 Windsor. Broad & Paul
 John Wheaton —
 Southwick & Jencks minerals.
 F. G. Markham.
 Ed Miller Jr. &c.

Online
 R. O. Dwyer 244 Front St.
 Worcester. Mass
on line
 C. O. Dowbridge. Framingham Mass
BY ARR

Online
 J. S. Mc Burney. Taunton Mass.
from Mansfield

L. G. Parsons. 14 Madison St.
 New Haven.

Bridgeport
 F. L. Bray 177 William St.
 E. J. Philips!
 Every day. 500 Sterling St.

F. Silbert Roxbury Mass.

Geo. W. Cram Norwalk Conn.

on line
 F. H. Breiver Enfield Conn.
in Springfield.

RECEPTION.

To the Hon. John Welsh,

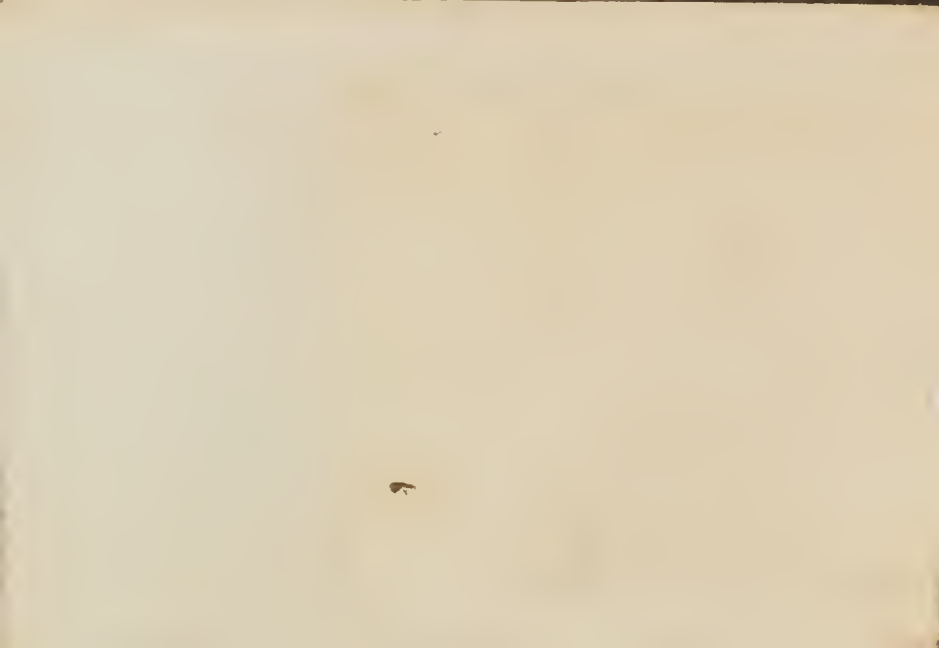
UNITED STATES MINISTER TO GREAT BRITAIN,

At the Academy of Fine Arts,

Wednesday Evening, November 28th, 1877.

From 8 to 10 o'clock.

Admit One Gentleman and Two Ladies.



International Exhibition Co.,

MAIN EXHIBITION BUILDING, CENTENNIAL GROUNDS.

BUREAU OF MANAGEMENT.

Philadelphia, Dec 1st 1876.

Mr John B Kline.

212 S. Eighth St Philada.

Sir: - Your application for space has been received, and registered. No. 1031

It will be examined, and when space is allotted you will be duly notified.

In future correspondence relating to your proposed exhibit, please mention your register number.

Yours Respectfully,

Henry Pettit,



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1876

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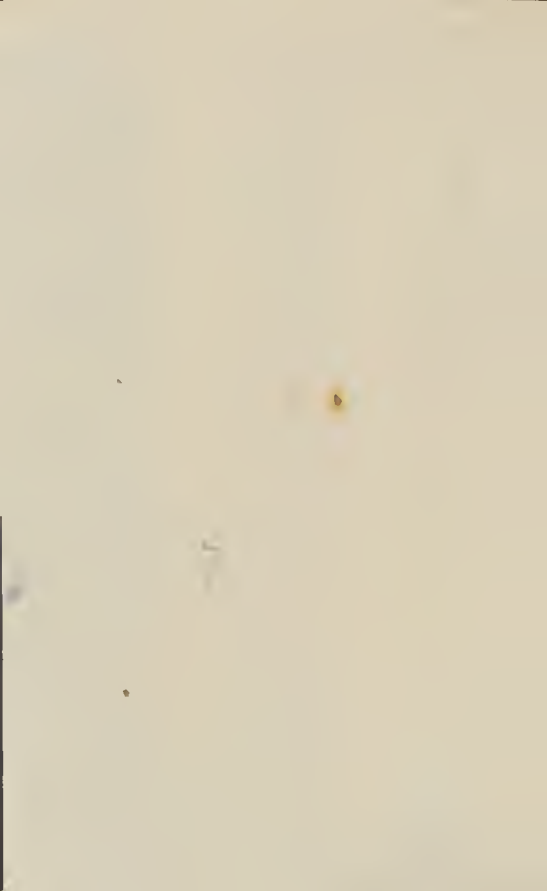
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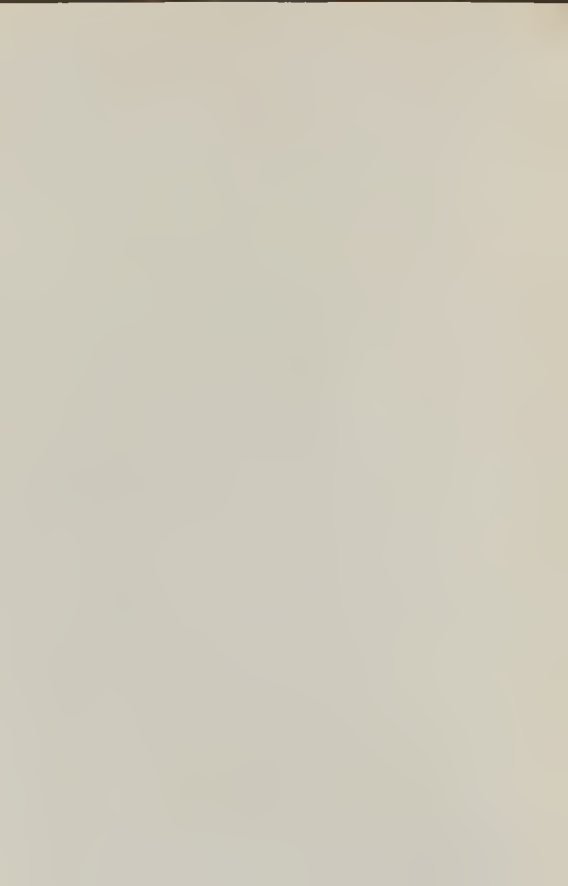
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" " screen & "	17.00
Intercept to p.m. & "	2.50
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Parts & c	1.25
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PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 8th, 1876.

DEAR SIR :

You are earnestly invited to attend a meeting of citizens, in Common Council Chamber, on Saturday, the 11th inst., at one o'clock P.M., in favor of the retention of the Main Exhibition Building for a continuous International Exhibition.

Notice of application for a charter has been given for a new company, to be called the "International Exhibition Company" of Philadelphia, with a capital of \$600,000, divided into 6000 shares of \$100 each.

Subscriptions will be received to the stock as follows :

1st. Payable in cash, as called for by the Board of Directors, to be appointed by the Stockholders.

2d. Payable by transfer of the Stock of the Centennial Board of Finance. The Stock of the International Exhibition Company to be issued at par for the actual cash that may be realized.

Subscriptions to the Maintenance Fund can be made—

1st. In cash, contributors being entitled to a Season Ticket for the year 1877 for each ten dollars contributed.

2d. In stock of the Centennial Board of Finance, contributors being entitled to a Season Ticket for the year 1877 for every two shares, or to twenty single tickets of admission for each share.

In all cases of transfer of stock, the present owners can retain the Memorial Certificate of the Centennial Board of Finance.

Subscriptions can be announced at the meeting, or sent to any of the following gentlemen :

THOMAS COCHRAN,
JOEL J. BAILEY,
ISAAC H. CLOTHIER,
CLEMENT M. BIDDLE,
ROBERT R. CORSON,
THOMAS S. ELLIS,

JOHN WANAMAKER,
N. PARKER SHORTRIDGE,
J. E. KINGSLEY,
JOHN PRICE WETHERILL,
AMOS R. LITTLE,
ALEX. P. BROWN,

Or, to

E. A. ROLLINS, Treasurer,

Centennial National Bank,
PHILADELPHIA.



1776—International Exhibition,—1876.

CLOSING CEREMONIES,

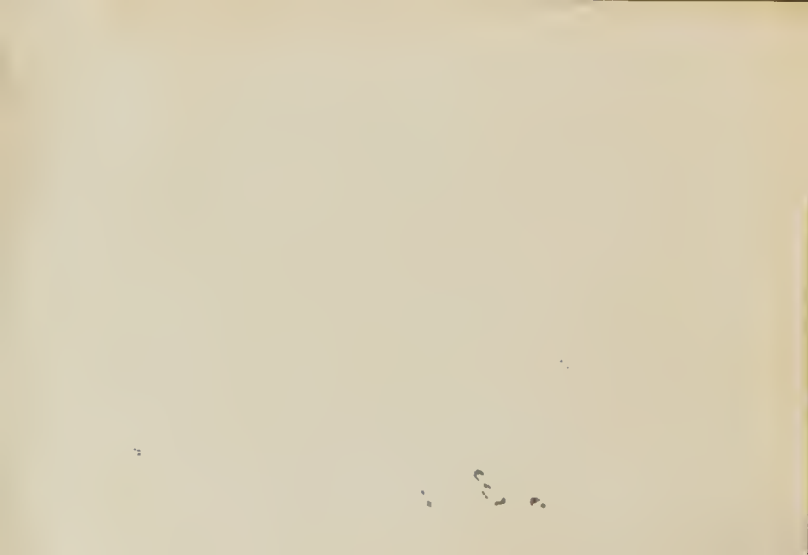
Friday, November 10, 1876.

ADMIT ONE.

SECTION I.

ADMIT BEARER
To CLOSING CEREMONIES,
THROUGH GATE 66.

November 10th, 1876.



THIS TICKET
ONLY
GOOD FOR ONE
DAILY ADMISSION
THE HOLDER
WILL
OBTAIN A PASS CHECK
ON LEAVING
THE GROUNDS TO
RETURN

NOT
TRANSFERABLE

GRANT BUILDING
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NO DUPLICATION
OF THE WORK



1776

United States
INTERNATIONAL
Exhibition.
PHILADELPHIA

May 10th

NO

23849

Nov 10th

H. J. W. Kline
as Exhibitor
Country U S

Class 12535

David G. Yates
Genl. Manager and Admissions



U.S. & P. & W. Co.;

(Office 14

Chy. & W. Co.;

F. 19 Agricultural Hall
September 18th 1876

W. S. P. Murchhead Esq.

Dear Sir -

I was informed by my attendant that you wished me to send out the present I hold for the present space & then you would make out the new one; I would say that it is not in my possession, having been taken up in giving me my pay.

If you will allow me to retain the present space, I will have some handsome goods displayed there & not sell any from F. 19, it will add much to the appearance of that locality & ~~then~~ I remove the partition will make it look better.

Please send me word to the above locality to day (so that I may receive it to night) that, in such me to do in the above cases -

I should like to make the improvement at C. 17 in Mon-

Yours

John G. Leach

UNITED STATES CENTENNIAL COMMISSION.

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION,

1876,

PHILADELPHIA.

PERMIT TO SELL ARTICLES MANUFACTURED IN THE EXHIBITION.

1. Description of the manufacturing machine or process.
2. The character of the materials and supplies to be used in manufacturing.
3. The kind and amount of power required.
4. Kind and amount of space required.
5. Number of employees.

To sell
Corals, shells, minerals, Continental & Confederate
money, relics & curiosities - Duplicates

The condition on which this permit is granted are—

FIRST.—The sale only of articles actually manufactured in the Exhibition by the machine or process described.

SECOND.—Sales without solicitation and direct delivery to the purchaser at the place of manufacture.

THIRD.—Payment of a sum equal to fifteen per cent. of the gross receipts from such sales to the Treasurer of the Centennial Board of Finance in the manner that may be prescribed by said Board.

FOURTH.—Observance of the rules and regulations established from time to time for the government of the Exhibition.

FIFTH.—The right of the Director-General to revoke the permit in case the manufacture or sale become objectionable, ^{in his opinion} or for non-compliance with these conditions.

(To be signed in duplicate.)

John R. Steine

Approved,

212 South 8th St.
Aug 11 1876
5. 19. Agricultural Hall
 DIRECTOR GENERAL,
 Philadelphia, April 30th, 1875

Approved Samuel Stanton Chief Bureau

UNITED STATES CENTENNIAL COMMISSION.

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.

No. 134.

-1876-

BUREAU OF AGRICULTURE.

PERMIT FOR SPACE.

APPLICATION NO. *12535 (A)* Philadelphia *Sept. 15th* 1876.
CLASS *645*

Mr. John W. Eline

212 S. 8th St. Phila.

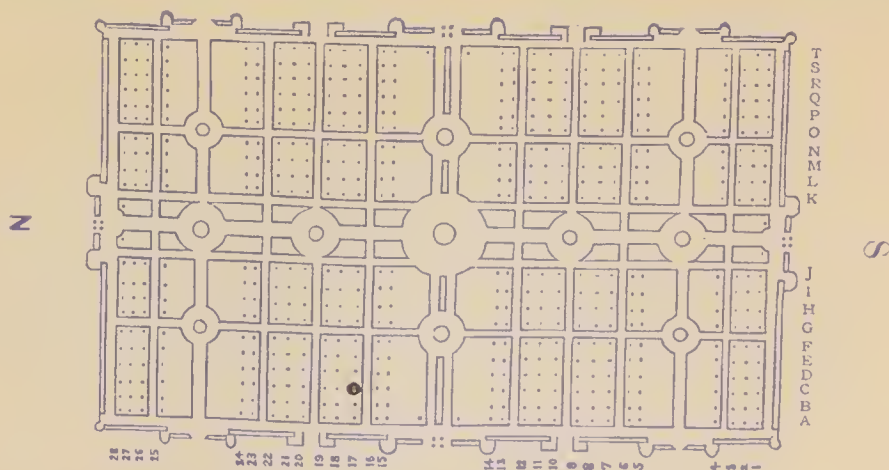
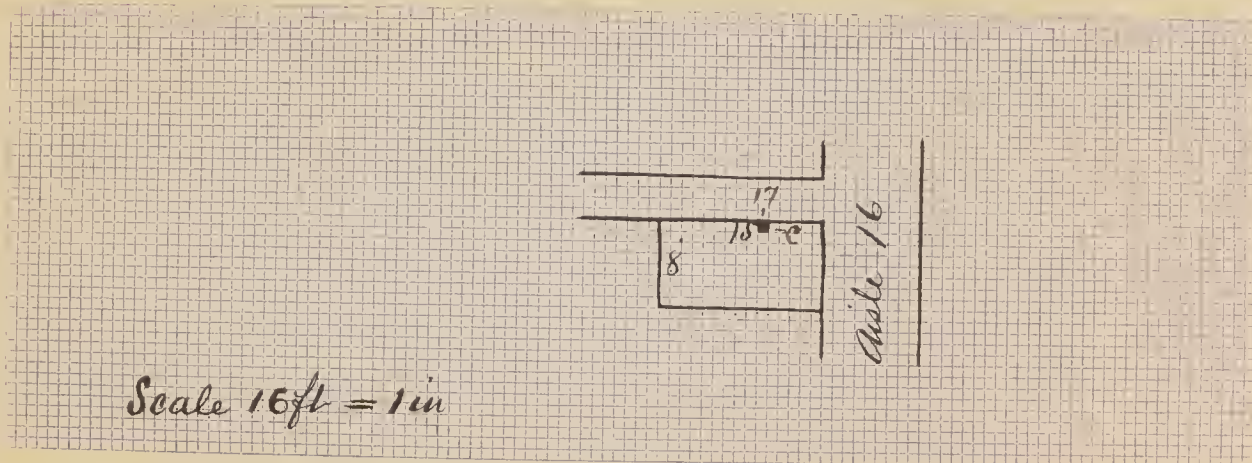
You have been allotted in the Agricultural Building, *120* square feet of space, of the following dimensions, and located with reference to aisles and columns, as shown in sketch.

Column Letter *C*
Column No. *17*

Diameter of Line Shaft,

No. of revolutions per minute,

Distance from floor to Centre of Shaft,



Yours Respectfully,

Barnet Landreth
per C. Henry Roy

Chief of Bureau

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.

BUREAU OF AGRICULTURE.

RULES AND INFORMATION FOR EXHIBITORS.

- Reception. FIRST.—Objects for Exhibition will be admitted to the Agricultural Building on and after the Fifth of January, 1876.
- Woods, grains, grasses, wool, flax, cotton, agricultural machinery, and all objects, *except* fruits and other perishable articles, and Live Stock, must be located previous to April 19th, 1876.
- Fruits. SECOND.—Fruits will be admitted in their season. Models in plaster or wax may be substituted for tropical fruits.
- Vegetables. THIRD.—Vegetables and other perishable products will also be admitted in their season.
- Dairy Products. FOURTH.—Dairy products will be admitted on Wednesday of each week during the period of the Exhibition.
- FIFTH.—Shafting and steam power will be furnished to exhibitors desiring to display in motion such machines as cotton gins, sugar presses, plantation mills, threshers, fanning mills, etc
- Machinery. SIXTH.—Necessary power will be supplied gratuitously, only for the purpose of exhibiting the machinery in operation.
- Boilers Doing Work. SEVENTH.—Manufacturers of Farm and Plantation Boilers, who may wish to exhibit them doing work, should notify the Chief of the Bureau on making application for space.
- EIGHTH.—There will be lines of shafting extending lengthwise of the building. These will have a speed of 120 and one of 240 revolutions per minute.
- NINTH.—Exhibitors must supply at their own cost, the pulleys that they may require upon the main shafts, as well as counter-shafts and all necessary appliances.
- TENTH.—Pulleys for main shafts must be balanced, in halves of not more than three feet diameter, and secured so as not to injure or weaken the shafting.
- ELEVENTH.—The mode of securing pulleys and counter-shafts must be subject to approval of Chief of Bureau.
- TWELFTH.—Exhibitors will be required to assume supervision of all gear supplied by themselves, and furnish attendants to operate their machinery.
- THIRTEENTH.—Exhibitors of Agricultural Machinery are requested to furnish the following information, and also a drawing to a scale of $\frac{1}{4}$ inch to the foot, of the plan and distribution of the objects, and if power is required, must state definitely the
- Actual horse-power required for each machine.
 - Cubic feet of steam used per hour at a pressure of 70 lbs.
 - Diameter of steam, water, or gas pipes.
 - Diameter of discharge or drain pipes.
 - Diameter, width of faces, and number of revolutions of driving pulleys.
- Fire and light can only be used by special permission of the Chief of Bureau.
- Field Trials. FOURTEENTH.—Manufacturers designing to compete in the field, will be at liberty to use the machine or machines placed by them on exhibition in the Agricultural Building, or may use a less costly one, provided it is identical in construction and working parts.
- Exhibitors' Space. FIFTEENTH.—The space granted to an exhibitor within the building is available floor space, exclusive of the intermediate passages between the exhibits. It may be utilized in various ways, as follows:—
- By placing the products exhibited directly upon the floor.
 - By constructing a low platform upon which they may be placed.
 - By erecting counters on which they may be arranged.
 - By erecting ornamental columns, pyramids, cones, and partitions to obtain wall space.
 - By erecting show-cases in which the exhibits may be tastefully displayed.

- Show Cases. SIXTEENTH.—There will be no charge for space, but all platforms, counters, ornamental partitions, show-cases, and appurtenances, must be erected at the expense of the exhibitor. No particular form or design is prescribed for the cases, counters, etc., but they must not exceed the following heights, without special permission from the Chief of Bureau:—
- Show Cases and Partitions.*—Twelve feet above the floor, except where placed upon the windows, where they must not exceed the height of eight feet.
- Counters.*—Two feet six inches above the floor, on the side next to the passage way.
- Platforms.*—One foot above the floor.
- Drawings. SEVENTEENTH.—In order to insure the advantageous and satisfactory location of products exhibited, applicants for space desiring to erect show cases, counters, or partitions, must furnish to this Bureau a scale-drawing, or tracing, showing clearly the elevation and ground-plan of the same, and especially indicating the sides of the cases intended to be open for inspection.
- Railings. EIGHTEENTH.—Machinery in motion must be enclosed with railings of a uniform height of two feet six inches. Exhibitors of other articles will have the privilege of placing railings of approved design around the space allotted to them. All such railings must not exceed the height of two feet six inches above the floor level, and may be attached to the case by projecting brackets, or be supported by posts from the floor. In every instance the floor space granted, *includes* the area embraced by the railing. The line of the railing will be placed upon the line of the passage way, and no railing will be allowed to project beyond the case or counter into the passage way.
- Pendants from the roof. NINETEENTH.—Exhibitors desiring to display products pendent from the roof-trusses must, in every case, obtain special permission to that effect from the Chief of Bureau.
- No exhibitor will be permitted to display products in such a manner as to obstruct the light or vistas through the avenues and aisles, or occasion inconvenience, injury, or disadvantageously affect the display of other exhibitors.
- Signs. TWENTIETH.—Signs will not be allowed to project beyond the floor area of the space allotted, nor will signs made of canvas or paper be permitted. The size of all signs will be subject to approval; letters must not exceed two and one half inches in height.
- Special Installation. TWENTY-FIRST.—The nave, avenues, aisles, and public passage-ways remain under the control of the United States Centennial Commission; and no trophies, decorations, portals, fountains, or other special exhibits will be permitted in them, except by special permission of the Director-General.
- Location. TWENTY-SECOND.—Each column within the building will be lettered and numbered; the numbers designating the lines of columns lengthwise, from south to north, and the letters the lines crosswise from west to east. Each exhibitor will have his location defined with reference to the nearest column, and the official directory of the building will give the positions according to this system.
- Cards. TWENTY-THIRD.—Cards supplied by the Centennial Commission may be affixed to goods stating the exhibitor's name, address, and place of manufacture; class of objects, catalogue number and price.
- Exhibitors' business cards, circulars, and samples, may be placed within their space for distribution, but visitors shall not be solicited to receive them.
- Permit for Space. TWENTY-FOURTH.—When the allotment for space is definitely made, each exhibitor will be notified and furnished with a permit for space.
- Entry of Goods. TWENTY-FIFTH.—*All exhibits must be entered at the office of the Chief of Bureau of Agriculture, and before unpacking or arranging the articles, the entry must be endorsed on the Permit for Space.*
- Delivery of Goods. TWENTY-SIXTH.—All products arriving at the doors of the building by rail, wagon, or otherwise, will be received by the Bureau of Transportation, and delivered on the space granted. Each exhibitor will then be expected to unpack and arrange his goods without delay. Provision has been made for the removal and safe storage of empty boxes and cases immediately after unpacking.
- Live Stock. TWENTY-SEVENTH.—The Live-Stock Exhibition will be held during the months of September and October, 1876. Special rules and regulations will be issued on the subject.
- TWENTY-EIGHTH.—The Chief of the Bureau of Agriculture has charge of the allotment of space to exhibitors.
- TWENTY-NINTH.—The right to alter or amend these rules is reserved.

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